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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

In response to the Final Office Action dated March 13, 1998, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of this application.

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In the Claims

Please amend the claims to read:

21. (Once Amended) A collaborative multimedia system, comprising:

- (a) a plurality of workstations operable by a corresponding plurality of users;
- (b) AV capture tools, at each workstation, configured to capture the voices and/or images of the users in the form of audio and video signals;
- (c) an AV network, in communication with the workstations, over which the audio and video signals can be carried;
- (d) a data network, in a communication with the workstations, over which data signals, representing visual information other than the captured images, can be carried;

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